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TIME TO ORGANIZE FOR HOCKEY

T. R. McCorkell is busy getting the foundation ready for the rink which he will run this year. He is going to quite an expense to put up a first class open-air rink and he is entitled to the support of the townpeople. The hockey team should get busy and organize at the first of the season. Mac is offering a good inducement to the club and one that should be taken advantage of.

Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bell, over the loss of their week-old baby son, whose death occurred last Sunday, Oct. 19th. Interment took place in St. Monica's Cemetery, the same day.

G. C. Bates, of the R. N. W. M. P., stationed at Athabasca, fell into an unexpected hole last Friday night, breaking his neck, death being instantaneous.

In a statement presented to the Minister of the Treasury by Premier Sifton, it was shown that the assets belonging to the Province of Alberta amounted to \$113,765,539.76.

ROBIN HOOD FLOUR

EVERY SACK GUARANTEED

\$3.25

PER SACK

A Car of Robin Hood Flour, Rolled Oats and Other Cereals just Arrived.

A Full Line of Fresh Groceries

On which we can make you a saving of from 10 to 15 per cent, by doing our business on a strictly Cash Basis.

Headquarters for your Winter Outfit

Our Selection of Rüppers, Overshoes and Felt is hard to beat, both in Quality and Price.

Our Stock of Fall and Winter Coats range from a Sheep-Lined at \$4.75 to a Coon Coat at \$175.

Ladies' and Children's Furs

Silk and Wool Toques, and Billy Burke Caps in great variety.

We are still giving away Silverware Coupons with every Purchase

Come in and See Our Stock

Mirror Cash Store

DOES MIRROR NEED HOSPITAL?

Meeting Called for Next Wednesday Afternoon in Cook's Hall to Consider the Question.—A Free Site Has Already Been Promised

During the past week or two the need of an hospital in Mirror was greatly emphasized by the fact that several people were compelled by sickness to go to the hospitals in Edmonton for treatment, many against their own desire and wishes. All of these cases would have gladly availed themselves of hospital accommodation in Mirror, if that is at the same time could be secured.

While the erection of an hospital is a somewhat laudable taking for a town the size of Mirror, there is no reason why it should not be carried through, there being many smaller towns than Mirror that have even less available funds for its maintenance.

There have also been several accidents right in Mirror, where men have had limbs broken.

In one case the victim had both legs broken in two places and it was necessary to drive miles to be treated.

In another instance a man with a fractured hip had to remain over night and then make the trip to Edmonton, arriving at the hospital about 2½ hours after the accident occurred.

These cases may be exceptional ones, but no person can tell when they may be the victim of some such accident and if medical attendance with proper hospital accommodation could be secured immediately, the chances for a more rapid recovery would be greatly increased.

There is also another reason for the erection of an hospital here, and that is the fact that Mirror is a divisional point on the railway line.

It is the desire of the employees, and an hospital here

would receive their heavy endorsement. As far as patients from outside points, communications have been received from parties forty miles from here requesting information about an hospital.

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It has been suggested that a public meeting be called for Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 29, at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of discussing the question, and an invitation is extended to everyone, farmers and citizens, to attend and give their assistance in carrying out the object.

To make a success of the undertaking it is absolutely necessary for all to co-operate and work together. Will you be one of the promoters?

BIG ATTENDANCE AT SUPPER

Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church Conduct a Sumptuous Reast...
Bumper Crowd Enjoy Good Things

The Harvest Home dinner and entertainment given by the Ladies' Aid of the Mirror Methodist church last (Thursday) evening proved to be one of the most enjoyable functions, of its kind, that the people of this town have ever had. The sum of attending: From six o'clock a steady stream of humanity found its way to Cook's hall, were two long tables fairly groaned with the good things piled thereon.

There was turkey, chicken, duck, beef, salads, homemade bread and butter, pies, cakes, jellies, nuts, etc., etc., there was meat, everything that was edible and it was all so very tasty, "that kind that mother makes."

Everybody in town was there and at the end of the supper hour the hall had a polished-looking appearance, although there was plenty for all.

To anyone having any doubt as to the enjoyment of the ladies' aid dinner, the sum of last night should be the means of correcting that impression, as they were surely laboring under a delusion.

Rev. Howell acted as chairman during the latter part of the entertainment, and the following selections were rendered:

Instrumental, Mirror Brass Band : Solo, "My Ships," Miss Flora MacKirdy; "Asleep to the Deep," Mr. Flewwelling;

Duo, "Life's Dream," Mr. Miss F. MacKirdy and Mr. Heath; Instrumental, Mirror Brass Band : Trio, "Soldier's Farewell," Messrs. Flewwelling, Heath and Howell; Solo, "Orange Song," Mr. Wm. MacKirdy; Solo, "Deep, down Kirby," Mr. Flewwelling; "God Save the King."

All singing part acquitted themselves creditably and the programme was heartily enjoyed.

The industrious and thrifty ladies of the aid were busy for some time making arrangements for other useful articles and Andy Rae wielded the hammer in the sale of this work. The sum of \$400.00 was realized and all told,

it is expected that the Ladies' Aid will have a surplus in the neighborhood of \$125. The entertainment was a great success in every sense of the word.

ALBERTA 1913 CROP INCREASE

One hundred million dollars in round numbers, or more than 620,000 bushels, is the total estimated value of the province, is the estimated farm value of the 1913 crop in Alberta. Statistics compiled from the agricultural and insurance companies in Edmonton show increases of from 12 to 23 per cent. in the grain crop as follows:

Wheat, 25,440,000 bushels ; barley, 11,310,000 bushels ; flax, 650,000 bushels ; rye, 410,000 bushels.

Most of the wheat grades No. 1 hard. The grain is clear of

rust and smut and commands good prices.

Other items of the crop of 1913 are: Hay, 90,000 tons ; potatoes, 8,150,000 bushels ; turnips, 2,000,000 bushels ; manure, 500,000 bushels ; carrots, 60,000 bushels. Beets, sugar-beets, corn and other farm crops are not complete, but show big increases over any previous year in Alberta.

Estimated value of the grain

crop is \$10,000,000.

In the animal products

the estimated value of dairy products

while the value of poultry and

products is placed at \$2,000,000.

The trappers caught furs of an

estimated value of \$1,250,000, while the fisheries industry amounted to \$125,000. The gardeners report crops valued at \$250,000. The total value of the livestock in the province is placed at \$110,000,000, a gain of 200 per cent. over 1912, when the increase was 20 per cent.

Indications are the cultivated acreage in 1913 will be from 10 to 11 times greater than in 1912.

More than 8,000 homes stand entries were filed the first nine months this year.

Great flocks of wild ducks and geese have been seen at Scott's point, Buffalo Lake, during the past week.

Miss Annie McLeod was home from the Presbyterian Ladies College, Red Deer, for Thanksgiving Day.

Roger B. Cowley, of Castor, Alton, is spending a few days with Leslie James, and Jaques tomorrow (Saturday) for a few days.

His Lordship the Bishop of Calgary, conducted services in St. Monica's church last Sunday afternoon.

DANGER FROM THE PRAIRIE FIRES

It would be a good job now to get busy and fire the dry grass around the town. We can look back and remember that we had a bad burning past year in the way of prairie fires. Just at this season the prairie grass is in the best of shape for burning and with a good wind a good fire guard would probably be the means of preventing a more disastrous fire later on.

Hans Kiesel was in Alix on Thanksgiving Day.

Mayor Short, of Edmonton, was a member of a shooting party in Mirror last Monday.

Young men who sit up late with the daughter rarely rise with the sun.

Albert and Hugh Stevenson, of Sterling, Alta., have been in town for the past few days. Mr. Stevenson is erecting a new barn on his farm east of here.

Pictorial Review Patterns

OVER 300 PATTERNS kept in Stock all the time, also Fashion Sheets and Books! If we do not happen to have the Pattern you want we will send and get it for you :

10c. & 15c. each

Serges

Some extra good values in Serges for Children's wear in the following colors : Navy, Brown, Red and Black, at

60c. per yard

For Suits

Etc., we have a very fine heavy Serge in Blue and Black only ; 44 inches wide ; at

\$1.00 per yard

Panrucker & Holland

Mirror and Alix :

ROYAL Yeast Cakes

BEST YEAST IN THE WORLD.
DECLINE THE NUMEROUS INFERIOR
IMITATIONS THAT ARE BEING OFFERED
AWARD HIGHEST HONORS AT ALL EXPOSITIONS
E.W. GILLETTE COMPANY LIMITED,
WINNIPEG TORONTO ONT. MONTREAL

On a Payroll

How is our friend Gillette's position on that bill regarded? asked one member.

Well, replied "the other, the greater impression is that his position is a very lucrative one.

One night "Jat was a regular round about town, when he called him and told him that a man had just died and offered him \$25 to take it place.

As soon as he is in the cage another dog comes along and begins to bark so frantically that he backs to the other side of the cage, trembling all over.

When he had given up all hope, a voice from the cage exclaimed: "Stop trembling, Pat. You are a 'sheep dog' again."

Alpines Tunnels

By the forthcoming opening of traffic of the great Loetschberg Tunnel in the Simplon Tunnel route, with which it connects, will be available for the first time a railway direct from Switzerland to France, Italy, and England.

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Last Sunday one of the smelters of the last hundred in a placard printed on the back of his letter:

"Where did you get this?" the teacher asked.

Selvedge it this morning off Tony's boot-blanket stand outside the corner bar-room.

The man read: Shine inside.

Minerd's Lament for safe everywhere

Micropes

A microbe is an imaginary being invented by the author of a book on the physics of dying a natural death. Micropes have taken the place of the evil spirit in the minds of many people, and people grow as intelligent as they would be if anything they didn't.

Micropes come in assorted packages and sell their entire life in six months. They multiply, scavenge, and the fears, subtract you from your money, divide all the profit among the doctors.

Just as everything was once represented by a microbe, so now it is represented by a microbe. A medical inhalation of smoke or fumes from the remedies and nostrils and often effects a permanent cure.

Conquer Asthma. To be relieved from the terrible suffocating due to asthma is a great relief, but to be safe, you must be examined by a lawyer.

Friend (envyous)—A little at first, but not after George had said "will."

Blocked

Thought you were going away today, Canadian boy, said "I am."

The ticket office never closed, No; but there was a girl at the window.

A witness in a particular case had been examined by the lawyer for the plaintiff and was turned over to the lawyer for cross-examination.

Legal man, what did I understand you to say that your occupation is?

You, I suppose, the lawyer, who witnessed the witness.

Yes, I suppose, the lawyer, but you, more details. Do you polish them or do you move them?

Mrs. Englands—Do you dare your husband's socks?

Mr. Dashaway—No, I speak of them a little more profanely than that.

Teach me grammar class—What is a single word, John?

John—On that, isn't married yet.

BIG, HEARTY BABY BOY

Mrs. Beck's Fondest Hope Realized—Health, Happiness and Baby.

Upper Lethbridge, N. S., Can.—"I wish to thank you for the gift I received by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has been a great female tonic for me, and I am completely run down in health. Other medicines I have tried have not had the same effect, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me well and strong. I may have a hearty baby boy, and praise your medicine for the wonderful lot of it has done for me." Mrs. Mary Beck, Jr., Upper Lethbridge, N. S., Can.

The dates of birth and wife whom they came to look forward to a childless and lonely old age.

Many a wife henceforth can be proud of motherhood owing to some degree of physical improvement often curable by the proper remedies.

In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women more com-

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham, 100 Franklin St., Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

A Cow

Farmers—250 marks for her. Why she's a good beast! An animal that won't last long since she's possible. Customer—"H'm, yes, I carked it." Seven Lean Years, I suppose.

Mr. Summerman—It is true that since coming up here you've engaged myself to Billy, Harry, Ed, and myself.

Miss Sweetly—What if it is? Well, I'll tell you what I know. If you have any objection to all of us shipping in to buy the engagement ring!

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The Dogs of Labrador

In Dr. Grenfell's latest book he tells some interesting things concerning the Labrador dogs. The creatures are fed once a day and are always hungry, and yet they never seem to be fat, and go days without food. Dr. Grenfell says they have walked seventy miles a day with a load half as heavy as the dogs and 250 pounds of baggage. The bearish dog is mentioned, that it seems to bushy all conventions.

Admission that the bearish dog is a reason for the backsides should be cleared. These dogs are not to be used as a hatter companion than a dog.

They are automatics which need no training, and make excellent hunting dogs. As it is, there is no greater pleasure possible than a large strong god, a leader, a bright sprightly day and a really good dog.

Our dogs know little or no fear, and are like the very largest polar bears.

Dr. Grenfell says again. On one occasion a man was walking alone along the coast when he saw a white bear and started off like the wind. They suddenly stopped, and the bear ran after him, so that the traces tangled around the head before the astonished driver could get out of the traces, but even a harness the dogs set, bridle and all, would not hold them. The dogs fought on his hind legs, the dogs managed to get in some good bites with their sharp claws.

On another occasion, adds the doctor, a man brought me a "peculiarly valuable" dog, which he said was a fox terrier. He had been sighted some distance off on the ice floe, and the dogs were sent after him, and he was captured.

By the time he arrived on the spot, however, the bear practically killed him, but the bear was captured by him, one clawed and one tattered.

In the early years in England extraordinary developments took place in the shoe line. The Plautangards had a monopoly of the market, and the aristocracy was decorated with golden clasps and elaborately embossed leather.

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BRIDGES WAS DOCTOR

NEW POET LAUREATE WIDELY KNOWN IN HOSPITALS.

Successor to the Poet Left Vacant by Late Alfred Austin Has Written Many Poetry Dramas, a Couple of Masques, Many Lyrics and Several Pieces in Classic Metres—Work of High Quality.

Mr. Robert Bridges, D.Litt., has been appointed Poet Laureate in succession to the late Alfred Austin.

Mr. Robert Bridges was born at Bristol, England, and from Eton he went to Corpus Christi College, at Oxford, the university.

With the degree of Doctor of Letters, after leaving Oxford, he settled down as a student in London, where he became a physician, and eventually a casualty physician. Assistant to the surgeon of the Royal Naval Hospital, Greenwich, he was his next post, followed by a period as physician to the Queen's Royal Hospital, Chelsea.

Mr. Bridges is undoubtedly one of the surest of modern writers living our country.

He wrote many poems throughout an extremely high standard, some of it in his suffered from him, as he had written a poem on the popularity or gain to tell against the author of the poem, and studied much has been over his pen.

His output includes eight poetic masques, a couple of masques, numerous



MR. ROBERT BRIDGES.

lyrics, and several pieces in classical prosody. He maintains that English prosody is based upon the number of stressed syllables in a line, not on the number of syllables, and that poetry should follow the rules of speech.

A number of essays have

been published on his work.

The new Post Laureate has been particularly successful in the writing of odes, and has written a poem for the bi-centenary commemoration of Henry Purcell:

The sea about our coasted shore;

Hills wide elemental storm;

Waves dash on rocks, . . .

'T shall his storm and master wave

Aborn to the brave

The music of our patriot songs

Go in furions following, careering a-row,

And under undreamt hearts outdrive

National god, dauntless!

The beauty of his masques, too, con-

pars well with that of the greatest of living poets.

"Eips and Pachs" is distinguished

for delightful melody. His lyrics gift

the reader with a wealth of pleasure.

Among other poems in his collection

are "The Poet Laureate," "The

"Farewell to the Spring,"

"Not staid to hear his song,"

"I fear my speed distract

"The love of love,"

"The poesy of his pleading,"

"We're full of young dight,"

"And we're all interred in notes,"

"He said in mirth in the reading

"And when he ceased, the hearer

"Will sing his song never."

Sing that my voice speaks clearer

With the heart that this case should

have been yearly rare."

He happy, airy creatures!

Thus in the merry spring

Our year the year may bring;

Reign your simple nature.

The salary of the laureate is £70,

with an allowance of £27 in lieu of a

butler, and he is to be allowed to

transact a report early this month that

he had been offered the vacant post.

M.P. Had Luck.

The popular member of the British

Fabric Board, Mr. J. G. Jackson, and

value of £500 in a taxi cab recently,

had them "burned" by a friend who for

tunately had good luck which is denied to many.

On discovering how loss the M.P. com-

mitted, he telephoned his office, and before the police could reply he received

a telegram from his friend appoin-

ting him to be the manager of a

taxi cab which he had hired not only

the taxi fare, but also the amount shown

on the meter of the over.

BURDENOME NAME.

Awful Appellations Which Men Have Learned to Bear.

The most不堪的 names have been bestowed on a child who was given by Arthur Pepper, a laundryman of West Bromwich, to his wife, and she gave birth to a daughter in December, 1903. It comprised a name for every letter of the alphabet, namely, Anna Bertha Cecilia Diana Emily Fanny Gertrude Hypatia Jane Quince Rebecca Starkey Teresia Ulysses Winifred Xenophontus Yetta Zeno.

Pepper, who is a man of the name, gave the name to his wife, and from

then onwards he has used it as a prefix to all the names of his children.

The Miller Way.

Among the words in the Miller way

were such as the Galaxy and the Circle

of Milk, The Chinese and Archaic

names call to the Celestial river. Some

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The Our Mines.

Miners in the United States are mi-

natives, miners in Canada are immi-

grants, and of metal mines there are

about 6,000 producing and developing.

Korea's Edible Grasses.

The use of grasses, roots and the ten-

der bark of trees in Korea does not

necessarily imply a deficiency of food

or a lack of variety in the diet.

Food for the soul of the well to do

classes, for salads and side dishes at

meals.

London's Oldest Paper.

It is generally thought that the

Oldest paper in the world is the old

London daily, the Morning Post.

But the oldest newspaper in the

United States is the Boston

Advertiser of the Times.

Another extraordinary name

is the King of the Pyrenees.

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French marionettes differ from the

Italian in so far that the French

are dressed in courtly attire of the

open air, as in Italy.

Chinese Barber.

The Chinese people have very light

beards, and their practice for upholding

years has been to patinate the native

beard with oil, and shave it off again

when it has grown again.

John Uskumar (uncouth), cut her throat with a razor."

The incident unfortunately explaine

d by the poet Adam who wrote

the poem:

In that heath in the courtyard of this

palace, were the ruins of an immensely

old building, and here the barber

should have read, according to a Par-

liamentary paper circular issued by

the Chinese government:

King of the Pyrenees.

THE JOURNAL MIRROR, ALBERTA'

Dieck Turp in Petticoats.

Extraordinary Exploits of These Highwaymen.

There have been several instances in England of highwaymen who have met with almost as much success as the redoubtable Dick Turpin and his gang of pickpocket or purse thief—in those days of yore.

One of the most remarkable cases is that of the girl, Moll, and the girdle, and Moll became an expert highwayman, robbing coaches, and driving into villages to collect tolls.

Another extraordinary highwayman was a woman named Anna Wilson, who was hanged for robbing horses.

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RED HAIR POPULAR.

Woman Explains the Charm of These Redheads.

With Titan Trees.

Some interesting facts concerning the red hair of women have been given to the world recently by Monsieur Giroud, a French scientist.

No one has ever been able to explain why a girl who from being a

handsome girl becomes ugly when she grows up.

Women with red hair are more likely to be impulsive than others.

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LACOME MEMBER'S SPEECH ON THE BUDGET

Mr. W. F. Puffer, of Lacombe, treated the estimates from a practical and humanitarian standpoint. He had voted upon seven budgets since he became a member of the Alberta legislature, said Mr. Puffer, and this one pleased him best of all. It was extremely fortunate that the province should emerge from a year of financial depression with a surplus and in a generally healthy condition. He sympathized with the opposition. If they were outside the province they would undoubtedly sing a different song. They had a duty to perform in the legislature, and while they might be over zealous in the performance, he did not blame them. They deserved sympathy, not blame. Mr. Puffer regretted the manner of the opposition speeches which tended to give out a false impression regarding the financial condition of the province. These speeches, however, have been made during the recent campaign, and the opposition had apparently not changed its policy of "knocking" Alberta for political effect. That the people of Alberta paid little heed to such "knocks" was shown by the results in the May election.

Concerning branch railways yet in the hands of the construction companies, Mr. Puffer stated that to his personal knowledge these roads were hauling out the farmers grain, although they were not yet in charge of the operating departments. Thousands of carloads of grain were moved last year by roads yet under construction.

Respecting the public highways, Mr. Puffer said there were many roads in the provinces of which the people might well be proud. The development had been so rapid that the province had done remarkably well to keep pace. When the northern resources were placed within reach of the rest of the province, the road question would be solved. It would be possible to cover the highways with asphalt at low cost. This would take time, of course, but we were fast coming to that stage of development. We must crawl a little before we walk.

If the Canadian Pacific had not blocked the entrance of the Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific, these roads would long since have been in to the city of Calgary. Mr. Bennett's injunctions and

barbed wire fences were responsible for the delay. He hoped that the members of the opposition would use their influence to stop the obstruction tactics.

Mr. Puffer stated that 955 miles of railway were built in Alberta last year, a greater mileage than was built in any other province. Despite the tightness of the money market, great progress would be shown this year.

With respect to public improvements, the people were patient. They understood the situation and they did not want to force the government to borrow at a high rate of interest at present. They were willing to wait a little for cheaper money. They were satisfied with the government policy and had expressed their satisfaction and confidence at the polls. Not only were they not dissatisfied, but they were actually surprised that the government had been able to accomplish so much in such a short space of time.

Mr. Puffer commented upon the splendid quality of public works. The government standard, he said, was copied by local improvement districts and rural municipalities with excellent results. The people were getting more value for their money than before. The work commanded the respect of the people and the people had shown their appreciation by voting confidence in the administration by a large majority. Mistakes would always be made, as men were only human, but the good work stood out as a monument to the government. In no other country did the struggling farmer get the same attention as he received in Alberta. The government furnished him with schools, telephones, roads, elevators, bridges and railways. The farmers thus served were the best publicity agents. They wrote to their folks at home and told them that they were living in a country where the government was interested in their welfare and took care of them. All these facts Mr. Puffer stated, were reflected in the present budget which reflected the remarkable progress of Alberta in the economic human and practical policy of the government. He was proud to vote for such a budget and proud to give his reasons for doing so. Now that the financial crisis had passed he expected even greater achievements and he was pleased to support a budget that would make them possible.

High Price For Beef

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 11.—That the already inadequate herds of western Canada cattle are suffering very grave depletion and in many cases will be totally wiped out, through the operations of the American buyers who have come here to secure steers and butcher's cattle since the passing of the Democratic tariff measure, is a statement made by prominent local shippers.

It is further affirmed most emphatically, that this drain on the local "meat material" of beef, of which we are even at the present time, to import from such distant places as Toronto and Australia, to supply local demands, can have no other effect than greatly to enhance the price of beef to western Canada.

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In order to cope with this heavy traffic, the Grand Trunk Pacific has already made provisions, in placing in service, during that period, electric lighted standard sleepers as well as electric lighted tourist sleepers, the latter, the first in Western Canada.

Duties of Citizens

The Winnipeg Industrial Bureau is endeavoring among other things, to awaken a stronger public spirit in that city, and with this end in view it has had a number of cards printed, each covering more or less independently to the duties of citizenship and community improvement. This set of these cards has been received by secretaries of Boards of Trade in the west and are here reproduced with one exception; each paragraph containing the inscription on a card.

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S. BUFFALO LAKE

J. M. Walton of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, has been visiting with P. M. Cunningham, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, for the past week.

W. W. Scott, of Jarvis Bay on Buffalo Lake, was in town Wednesday and Thursday.

"What is your Drawing Power?" Methodist church next Sunday evening. Everyone hence welcome.

Song service on the 2nd of November. Keep the date open.

The fair weather of the past week or so has been taken advantage of and threshing operations have made excellent progress in this district. Another week or two of the same kind of weather will very nearly see the finish of threshing.

Big Masquerade in Cook's Hall, Mirror, Friday evening, Oct. 31st. Cash prizes for most original and best comic costumes. See the auspices of the Mirror Library Club.

G. H. Darlow, of Alix, was in Mirror on Wednesday.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted; and the following accounts were referred to be paid:

Suggett Bros.	8.20
Mr. McColl, note.....	180.80
J. P. Erickson	16.75
Johnston, note.....	1.00

Business transacted was as follows:

That the two payments to contractors on school be held over until debenture money is received;

That the bids on the school building and site be held over until next meeting;

That the Journal's entry in accepting 93 for school debentures of \$15,000, from the Alberta School Supply Co., be accepted by the Board;

That the terms of A. R. Hopkins, to supply six tons of Nevis coal at \$3.35 per ton be accepted;

Two other tenders were received, one for \$3.25 per ton for six tons coal; and the Imperial Lumber Co., Brigettes, \$3.50 per ton; soft coal, \$1.75 per ton; and hard coal, \$1.50 per ton; a sale a 20 ton car to be provided for.

Board adjourned.